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<b>UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL</b>		Attorney Docket No. <b>42P17654</b>	
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		Title <b>AUTOMATIC IMAGE LUMINANCE CONTROL WITH BACKLIGHT ADJUSTMENT</b>	
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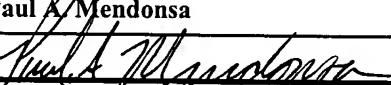
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